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ESTABLISHED, 1859

When you buy your groceries from Brace Bros. you get the highest grade. A trial order will convince. Yours for business.

BRACE BROS.

Grocers.

Phone Main 144

Good Cooking

is not the only essential in the preparation of a good dinner. An inferior cut of meat may be improved by a good cook, but it cannot be made as palatable as the choicer cuts. So it is with

Groceries and Provisions

Unless the best are used the cook cannot do herself justice. Only the best of both groceries and provisions and the choicest of canned goods are kept in stock by

C. H. OFFERMANN
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FISCHER has opened a tailoring establishment in Coxin block, MENLO PARK. He guarantees a perfect fit. Cleaning and repairing a specialty.

All orders promptly attended to. Prices reasonable.

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Finest Enclosed Coursing Field in the World.

Coursing every Sunday and Holidays.

Admission, 25c. Ladies, free

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REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

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Phone-Black 44

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Do you know that the nicest, freshest and most wholesome bread is obtainable at Del Monte and Bridge-St. Bakeries? And that you can get anything you please in the line of...

CAKES and PIES

We employ expert bakers and use fresh ingredients of the finest quality. There are no suggestions of poor butter or doubtful eggs in any of our productions. All are delicious. Any of them will be a welcome and satisfactory addition to your table.

Del Monte and Bridge-St. Bakeries
REDWOOD CITY
GEO. P. BALDWIN

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FULLY EQUIPPED GOLD MINE AND MILL
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GLORY FOR THE REPUBLICANS MOURNING FOR DEMOCRATS

TRADE! TRADE!

FOR

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Famous Brands

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OF

Trimmed and Tailor Made

HATS

\$5.00 Sale Price, now \$3.50

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Walking Hats \$1.00 up
Tam O'Shanter 50c. up

Watch our Special Sales for every Saturday.

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with you when going

CAMPING AT LA HONDA.

You can get what you want

at moderate prices at

CAVALLI BROS.

They carry a fine stock of General Merchandise, liquors and cigars. Everything you want sold there at CITY PRICES.

NOTICE

TAXPAYERS!

TAXES—1904-5

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Books of the County of San Mateo (Real and Personal) for the fiscal year 1904, have been received and the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property are now due and payable and will be delinquent on

The last Monday in November, 1904.

AT SIX O'CLOCK P. M.

AND UNLESS PAID prior thereto, 15 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. If the said first installment of said taxes be not paid before the LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1905, at 6 p. m., an additional 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all Real Property will be payable on and after the FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY next and will be delinquent on the last MONDAY IN APRIL next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

I will be in attendance to receive taxes at the following times and places:

J. C. WILLIAMSON'S STORE, Pescadero, Monday, October 31st, from 1 to 6 p. m.
J. W. PACKARD'S, San Francisco, Tuesday, November 1st, to 12 M.
ANGELO BOITANO'S, Halfmoon Bay, Wednesday, November 2nd, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
TOWN HALL, San Mateo, Thursday, November 3rd, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
E. E. CUNNINGHAM'S OFFICE, South San Francisco, Friday, November 4th, 1 to 4 p. m.
BELL & CO'S STORE, Colma, Saturday, November 5th, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
And on all days at my office in Redwood City.
FRANK M. HANCOCK,
Tax Collector San Mateo County.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

SAN MATEO COUNTY

REDWOOD CITY, CAL.

Incorporated July 24, 1891

CAPITAL.....\$200,000.00

SURPLUS.....100,000.00

This bank is incorporated and doing business under the laws of the State of California. The board of directors are: E. L. Ross, P. P. Chamberlain, A. J. Stevens, George H. Rice, M. Fursten, C. E. Sullivan, Charles Joseph James Crowe and L. P. Belcher.

OFFICERS:

E. L. ROSS, President
P. P. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice-President
P. F. FURSTEN, Secretary and Treasurer
E. K. TOWNE, Assistant Cashier

CORRESPONDENTS:

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Drafts drawn on any part of the civilized world. Transfers a general commercial banking business. Collections made in all parts of the United States, Canada and Europe. Accounts of individuals, firms and corporations solicited. A thoroughly fire and burglar proof safe deposit vault has been prepared at great expense for the accommodation of the public, in which we rent boxes and safes, and valuables also taken on storage at rates less than similar institutions in San Francisco.

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GO TO THE

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Main Street, Redwood City

Meals Served to Order at All Hours.

Day or Night:—

Oysters in any Style Hot Tamales.

HARVEY HICKEY - Proprietor

E. L. TAYLOR

MENLO PARK, CAL.

Blacksmithing

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I do only FIRST-CLASS WORK

and at fair prices.

HORSESHOEING A SPECIALTY.



THINGS TO GO WITH YOUR TURKEY

should be the finest delicacies that the country can produce; therefore, buy your groceries at Heise's. We have cranberries, mince meat, nuts, raisins, cheese, olives, preserved fruits, jellies, jams, plain and fancy crackers and biscuits, canned goods of all kinds, salad dressings and sauces. The old-fashioned Thanksgiving, no doubt, was enjoyable, but the Thanksgiving of to-day, with all the modern food products, is above comparison.

S. & W. re-cleaned Currants, full pound package.....12 1/2 cents
Dunlap's Salad Dressing, bot. 16.....30 cents
Campbell's Salad Dressing, bot. 16.....15 cents
None Such Mince Meat, 16 pack, 16.....10 cents
S. & W. and Van Camp's Canned Pumpkin for Pumpkin Pie. No trouble to make pumpkin pie. All kinds of Nuts, Cheese, Etc.

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Electric Current for Light, Heat and Power.

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By good tailoring and honest work I have proven that I am here to stay. Come and inspect my

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It is for my own interest to see that you are satisfied.

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Feed, Flour, Bran and Produce

of all kinds.

Main Street, Redwood City.

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REDWOOD CITY

THOMAS WILSON - Proprietor

Finest Single and Double Teams. Gentle

horses for ladies.

STOCK BOARDED.

Orders by telegraph or telephone will receive prompt attention.

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is essential to good health. The best meat at the City Market costs no more than an inferior quality elsewhere; then why swear about tough steaks, chops or roasts?

Fresh, Beef, Pork, Mutton

You get what you want and honest weight, too. Meats delivered in Redwood City and surrounding country. Shop closed on Sunday.

THE CITY MARKET

Blind & Langley, Pro.

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DON'T BLAME IT ALL ON THE BUTCHER

It may be the cook—but we'll take a chance on that, for we know our meats are at tender, juicy and delicious. How would a prime roast of beef or mutton suit you for to-day's dinner.

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MENLO PARK

French Laundry

P. JARRECOU, Prop.

MENLO PARK, CAL.

Washing for Families Carefully and Promptly Attended to.

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Laundry Wagon Will Call for Orders and Deliver Washing.

Patronage Respectfully Solicited

Savings and Trust Co.

of San Mateo County,

and at the end of a year you will experience an amount of satisfaction undreamed of before.

Incorporated March 10, 1904.

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fully paid.

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 SIX MONTHS—IN ADVANCE.....1.50

COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Saturday, November 26, 1904.

D. E. O'KEEFE.....EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

THE WORST BEATEN NOMINEE

Horace Greeley is often referred to as the worst beaten candidate for President ever nominated by either of the great parties. In the November election in 1872 Mr. Greeley was defeated, the popular majority against him being 727,000.

That majority, though considerable, did not record the full measure of the disaster of the Greeley canvass, for about three weeks later, on November 29, Mr. Greeley died, and when the electors in the States which he carried met in January, only three of them—three from Georgia—voted for Mr. Greeley, and the votes of these three were objected to on the official canvass on the ground that Mr. Greeley, having died, was not an eligible candidate to vote for his death being a "historic fact."

The house of Representatives refused to receive these three votes; the Senate agreed to. As a consequence, therefore, Mr. Greeley did not receive a single electoral vote but the Greeley electoral ticket polled eighty electoral and 2,800,000 popular votes.

A worse beaten candidate for the Presidency than Horace Greeley everything considered, was General Scott, the nominee of the Whig party in 1852. His military achievements, it was thought, would assure him a large popular vote, but he actually received only forty-two electoral votes out of a total of 296, and most of these came to him by slender majorities.

The four States he carried were Kentucky and Tennessee, Massachusetts and Vermont. He had 1800 plurality in Tennessee and 500 in Vermont.

The candidate for the Presidency who had what would now be called a clean sweep, or almost a clean sweep, was James Monroe in the election of 1829. There were 232 electoral votes in that year, and James Monroe received 231 of them. This was before the choice of Presidential electors by popular vote, which was begun four years later.

Secretary Taft is reported to have said that "The danger in the case of such a victory as our last is that it will lead to a relaxing of the self-restraint that is more certain to be exercised when the danger of a political change is more probable." This is a hint Californians. We are among the banner Republican States, and if a nearly 115,000 plurality leads to a relaxing of self-restraint then evil will come out of a present great pride and joy. There are the State and county rivers of 1906 to cross.

A New Orleans camp of Confederate veterans protests against the use of titles not won in actual service. An Alabama journal says that the protest is proper, but useless; the country must have colonels and majors, and the real ones are dying out.

A California professor of philosophy announces that there are too many women in the colleges. They interfere with the attainment of high scholarly ideals, he says. He must be an elderly person who has no daughters.

John D. Rockefeller warns his Bible class against seeking riches. Let them look after their Bible lesson and John will take care of the financial proposition himself.

At the big football game at Berkeley on Saturday last the total gate receipts were \$30,000.

Pointed Paragraphs.
 Don't believe all you hear. There are a few liars abroad in the land.

Matrimonially speaking, eternal vigilance is the price of domestic peace.

One difference between a hog and a man is that a hog knows when he has enough.

Don't forget that you are up against sterility.

Ayer's

We know what all good doctors think of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor and find out. He will tell

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you how it quiets the tickling throat, heals the inflamed lungs, and controls the hardest of coughs.

"Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is well known in our family. We think it is the best medicine in the world for coughs and colds."

For **Hard Coughs**

One of Ayer's Pills at bedtime will hasten recovery. Cautiously laxative.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The First National Bank Buys the City's Improvement Bonds.

The city's improvement bonds, amounting to \$100,000, and drawing 4 1/2 per cent were sold at par Monday night by the Council to the First National Bank of San Mateo county. The bank's offer to take the bonds was made in the following communication:

D. R. Stafford, Clerk of the Town of Redwood City, Dear Sir:—In compliance with published article of October 31, 1904, we hereby bid par, and accrued interest, for \$100,000 worth of town bonds subject to approval of our attorney of the proceedings. Certified check herewith enclosed in accordance with your notice. We remain, yours very truly,

L. P. BEHRENS.

A resolution authorizing the sale of the bonds was introduced and adopted on motion of Trustee Foley.

The following claims were audited and ordered paid:

Redwood City Water Company	\$278.37
J. C. Dickey	75.00
Con Cullen	67.50
John Christ	60.00
James P. Coleman	40.00
J. V. Swift	35.35
C. L. Gould	33.30
D. R. Stafford	33.30
R. C. Holmquist	25.00
Archer Kincaid	21.75
W. O. Dodge	21.70
J. H. Hawthorn	20.00
W. Jamieson	15.00
Tacoma Mill Co.	10.98
Gus Delestedt	10.00
C. L. Gould	8.00
Times-Gazette	5.00
J. H. Hawthorn	5.00
Times-Gazette	5.00
J. W. Poole	2.27
Fritz Tribble	2.00
John Mulhearn	2.00
William Flynn	2.00
Stafford Bros.	1.50
William Gordon	1.00
Brace Bros.	.75

CHURCH NEWS.

Matters of Interest Transpiring in Local Religious Circles.

The Thanksgiving services at the Methodist Church Thursday night were attended by the members of all three of the protestant churches. Special music had been prepared, and a choir led by Jas. Fayen lent much to the occasion. Rev. David Crabtree of St. Peter's Episcopal Church made the address of the evening, taking as his text, "Make Your Election Sure." His remarks were filled with ideas of thankfulness. In part he told of the peace and plenty abroad in the land for which we should give thanks, and of the thanks that should be given for the officers who had been elected to serve during the coming four years. "Roosevelt," he said, "attends church every Sunday. And Parker is a most faithful vestryman. We should follow their examples, and so should the locally elected officers, who are all good men." In closing, Mr. Crabtree assured all that if they lived more godly lives during the coming year than they had in the past, they would find much to be thankful for at the end of 1905. The meeting was brought to a close by the singing of "America" and the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. C. C. Koitland.

Railroad Changes.

Ultimately the lines of the Southern Pacific Company between this city and San Francisco, so far as local passenger traffic is concerned, will all be done by electric power. It is the intention of the Southern Pacific Company to convert at least part of its right-of-way between here and San Francisco into an electric line, and while the matter is too far in the future to make any definite announcement, it can be said with authority that the Southern Pacific Company will in the course of the near future control or build electric passenger lines between this city and both Oakland and San Francisco. A fast electric between San Jose and the Oakland narrow-gauge mole is one of the first plans that are to be carried out, and this line can be confidently looked for within the next eighteen months. Local officials of the company refuse to discuss the plans of the road at the road at the present time, but they admit that the engineers of the company are hard at work on specifications for the electric lines proposed, but they refuse to state that the company will adopt the plans after they are prepared. San Jose Herald.

Wedded at San Jose.

Charles De Selle of Campbell and Sarah Elizabeth Smith of San Mateo were married quietly at Trinity Episcopal church, San Jose, Thursday morning, the Rev. William Gresham, the rector, officiating. A few friends of the contracting parties were present. The young couple left immediately after the ceremony for the south where the honeymoon will be spent.

Wanted.

An English lady desires to do sewing by the day. Dressmaking and children's clothes a specialty. Address Mrs. T. Foster, Menlo Park.

A man can make a lot of trouble out of very little material.

DISASTROUS WRECKS.

Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by P. A. Ryan, druggist. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The first day's regular receipts of the New York Subway were given to the New York City hospitals—a sort of advance payment, as it were.

NOT A SICK DAY SINCE.

"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad. of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved, and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not been a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Liver and Kidney Troubles and General Debility." This is what B. F. Bass of Fremont, N. C. writes. Only 50c, at P. A. Ryan's, druggist, Redwood City.

Physicians now say that those who sleep with their mouths closed have the best breath. If you awake in the night and find your mouth open get up and close it.

A RUNAWAY BICYCLE.

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for Burns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c, at Ryan's Drug Store.

Before the election the problem was, what shall be done with the negro? Since the election it is, what shall be done with the Democratic party?

DOESN'T RESPECT OLD AGE.

It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off maladies no matter how severe and irrespective of old age. Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, Constipation all yield to this perfect pill, 25c, at P. A. Ryan's Drug Store.

NEW TO-DAY.

LOST—A gold locket, in this city between the Congregational church and Southern Pacific depot. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Will Crowe. no26

LOST—A brown bag between Menlo Park and Palo Alto. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office, Menlo Park. nov 19 in

WANTED—To buy for cash, a Saloon or Road House in San Mateo county. Write or call. G. ANDERSON, 122 Third street, San Francisco. no26

WANTED—A lady desires a situation. Will do cooking, general housework and nursing. Will work the day or week. Apply to George West, Redwood City, or at J. H. O'Keefe's Store, Menlo Park. nov 19 in

FOR SALE—Three fresh milk cows. Apply to Asa Hull at San Carlos. no19 in

TO LEASE—35 acres choice farming land situated on the Woodside road, one mile from Redwood City. Apply to E. E. Kentfield, 318 Stewart street, San Francisco.

STONE PAVEMENTS—J. P. Fuller is prepared to lay artificial stone pavements, sidewalks, gan walks, steps, etc., at reasonable rates. Cemetery work a specialty. Office and residence—123 Railroad avenue, San Mateo. Postoffice box 256. no19 in

MONEY TO LOAN—\$2000 to \$5000 to loan on good mortgage security. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow will be sold cheap. Apply to D. Flynn, Redwood City.

LOST—Between Belmont and Redwood City a large paper box containing clothes and other articles. Finder will return same to Sanger Fullman, Belmont, and receive liberal reward. Name on inside of box.

TO LET—Three furnished rooms on Phelps street to rent. Apply at this office.

MISS BACON, Dancing Teacher, will give a social dance every Saturday night in Old Fellows' hall. Admission 30 cents; ladies free; lessons 50 cents.

FOR SALE—A nine-room cottage on Arguello street, Redwood City. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply to C. Cussen, Redwood City.

FOR SALE—87 head of sheep at San Gregorio, on the R. C. Merrill ranch. Apply on premises. no29 in

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of Stockholders of the REDWOOD CITY SALT COMPANY will be held on

Saturday, December 10, 1904,

at the hour of one o'clock P. M., in the office of the Company, Germania Hall Block, Redwood City, California.

P. P. CHAMBERLAIN, President.

GEO. W. LOVIE, Secretary.

Christmas Shopping

is a delight at this store.

We are showing on every side a great variety of useful and ornamental articles.

Gifts Suitable for Every One

A visit cannot fail to offer many suggestions of value. It is the early shopper who gets the pick.

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PRICES REDUCED ON ALL HATS

If you want style, quality and first-class work buy your hats from

MRS. GARDNER

at G. EINSTEIN'S

Alhambra Bldg., Redwood City

H. M. NEWELL

DEALER IN

Gasoline Engines, Pumps,

Pipe,

and all kinds of

Second-hand Machinery

All machinery sold guaranteed as represented.

MACHINERY REPAIRED ON SHORT NOTICE.

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154 lots have been sold in Lomita Park in nine weeks. There are lots left.

Streets graded, sewer and water mains already laid to each lot.

TERMS

\$10 down, \$10 per month.

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116 California Street

San Francisco, Calif.

and at Lomita Park.

ROY W. CLOUD, Local Agent

All Electric cars stop.

DO NOT NEGLECT YOUR EYES.

J. MAY, Dr. of Optics

Permanently located at PALO ALTO desires to inform the residents of Redwood and surrounding country that he has as a fully equipped office in the

PALO ALTO OPTICAL PARLORS

Palo Alto

and invites all who are suffering from defects of vision to call and get relief.

J. MAY, Dr. of Optics

CALIFORNIA

POLO & PONY ASSOCIATION

WILL HOLD A

FALL RACE MEETING

& POLO TOURNAMENT

C. W. CLARK'S PRIVATE TRACK.

SAN MATEO

NOVEMBER 23d to 28th

First Day, Wednesday, November 23 at 3 p. m. Polo. First round handicap tournament, team "A" vs. team "B."

Second day, Thursday, November 24th at 2:15 p. m. Pony races.

Third day, Friday, November 25th at 3 p. m. Polo. First round handicap tournament, team "C" vs. team "D."

Fourth day, Saturday, November 26 at 2:15 p. m. Pony races.

Fifth day, Sunday, November 27 at 3 p. m. Polo. Match game, North vs. South.

Sixth day, Monday, Nov. 28th at 3 p. m. Polo. Final game of handicap tournament.

If you want to Advertise in newspapers anywhere at anytime call on or write

E. C. Dake's Advertising Agency

124 Sansome Street

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RUBBER GOODS

Plain rubber Water Bottles

75c. to \$2.00. Fountain

Syringes \$1.00 up. Queen

Combination with cloth in-

sertion guaranteed for two

years, \$2.00 for 2 quart,

\$2.25 for 3 quart. Heavy

water bottles with loose

cloth cover, very nobby and

serviceable.

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Mills located at TACOMA, WASH.

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A SAMPLE LINE OF FUR COLLARETTES AND CAPS 25 per cent less than San Francisco Prices.

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A LINE OF THE LATEST STAMPED LINENS AND CUSHION TOPS JUST RECEIVED.

LADIES' WOOL VESTS AND SWEATERS NOW IN.

LADIES' WOOL WAISTS FROM 50c. UP.

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REDWOOD CITY

SELECT YOUR OPTICIAN

AS YOU WOULD YOUR PHYSICIAN

The Wrong Glasses Will Ruin the Strongest Eyes.

FACTORY-ON-PREMISES.

CHINN-BERETTA OPTICALS

MANUFACTURING OPTICIANS

FOUR STORES

SACRAMENTO, 526 K Street

SAN FRANCISCO, 901 Market Street

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SHORT LOCAL SUGGESTIONS

An Epitome of County Seat Happenings
Gathered by the Reporter Staff.

H. E. Heiner Invests in Business
Property - Night-shooting
Must Be Stopped.

Merton E. Hughes was in Redwood last Sunday spending the day with his mother.

Miss Ella Joachim of San Francisco is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Carl Mabie.

"That was a close shave," remarked Claude Fox as he appeared about town this week without a mustache.

Miss Lizzie Wienke of Half Moon Bay has been the guest of the Misses Ruby and Edna Wilson during the past week.

Carl Beeger and George Genochio went out in the Pet Thursday to hunt duck. They expect to return this evening with about 200.

Geo. W. Lovie has sold the two-story dwelling on Arguello street, known as the Snow property, to M. Reynolds, who will improve the building.

Allie Hanson, who has been very ill with appendicitis, has so far recovered as to be able to sit up. It will be some time, however, before he will be out.

Rev. C. C. Kirtland went to Campbell Tuesday to attend the installation of Rev. Geo. E. Atkinson as pastor of the Campbell Congregational Church.

Rev. W. H. Wyckoff, of the Congregational Church Building Society, will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bacon went to Sacramento Thursday. Mr. Bacon returned yesterday but Mrs. Bacon will remain until next week visiting friends.

Mrs. B. Wentworth, with her daughter, Marjorie, of Oakland came to Redwood Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowe.

Thursday morning a ten-pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barton. Indeed Thanksgiving was a happy one at the Barton home.

Mrs. Ryan of Santa Rosa is visiting her father, Wm. Laswell, this week. Mrs. Ryan, whose husband is the chief engineer of an ocean liner, is contemplating remaining in Redwood to make her home with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cross of Mantoba, Canada, arrived in Redwood last Thursday and spent a few days with Mr. Cross' uncle, James Crowe.

John Eschenbacher has been spending the past few days in Redwood. Mr. Eschenbacher recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lane Hospital in San Francisco and will remain here until he recovers his strength.

Carl Concle, an artist at interior decoration, has been tuning up the Arbor. All of the woodwork has been veneered with mahogany and the walls have been covered with pretty tiled green burlap. When the work is completed the Arbor will be one of the neatest bars in the county.

Senator Hamden with his broadest smile has been seen upon our streets during the past week. The Senator has had a minstrel aggregation on the road during the past season, which was a financial success, consequently he will live on 411 Easy Street this winter.

The show of the Great Western Vaudeville Company last Tuesday night was up to the usual standard. The pictures were very good, as were also the illustrated songs. The musical sketch of Potts and Harte was one of the finest illustrations of instrumental work ever seen on the local stage.

The Southern Pacific Company sent out a neat little booklet this week entitled "California, the Coast Country." It is neatly put together and contains 127 pages. San Mateo County is given several pages and Menlo Park, Redwood City, and other towns are all given good write-ups. The population of Redwood as given by the little book is 2500.

Next Monday the county, state and township taxes become delinquent. That is, the first installment on such taxes. The prompt payment of taxes will save expense, annoyance and standing of the title of real estate. Remember, taxes you can neither evade nor allow to run without danger to the title of real estate. San Mateo County has an excellent reputation for the prompt and full payment of taxes by her property owners.

A Loweinstein entertained a number of friends Thursday night, the affair being in the nature of a house warming. Mr. Loweinstein having just moved into his new house. The house, which was but lately completed, is one of the neatest 5-room cottages in town. Mr. Loweinstein is a great believer in the future of Redwood and has built a substantial home in which he can comfortably live while in our midst.

The dance given by the Ancient Order of Foresters Wednesday evening in the Alhambra was one of the pleasantest ever given in Redwood.

The floor was well filled for every dance, though not crowded. The committees in charge were so efficient that all who wished could dance. The music of the Redwood City Orchestra was extra fine and lent much to the enjoyment of the dance. Taking it both socially and financially, the affair was a big success, and the young gentlemen of the Court are to be complimented on being such good entertainers.

On Tuesday of last week, Mrs. Louise M. Ashley, a former resident of Redwood, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Towle, at Emmet. For the past six years Mrs. Ashley had been an invalid and suffered greatly. Just after the first attack of the malady which finally caused her death Mrs. Ashley moved from here to San Francisco to be close to her son, Dexter, who held a responsible position with Wells, Fargo & Co. Since then she has been unable to move about and death came in the guise of a friend.

The deceased was a native of New York, aged 66 years, and leaves to mourn her death her husband, S. D. Ashley, three daughters, Mrs. O. C. Towle, Mrs. T. D. Richardson, Mrs. C. N. Hamilton, and one son, Dexter C. Ashley.

The First National Bank of this city purchased the \$100,000 four percent bonds recently issued by the town of Redwood. The purchase price was \$100,000. It is a gratifying thing to have in our midst an institution which can advance this amount of money.

P. P. Chamberlain received this week the finest line of wall paper, and rug ever before carried in Redwood City or which he invites inspection. He also received a complete line of blue enameled ware which he will place on sale as soon as Contractor Brown has completed some new shelving which is being put in to accommodate the new wars. As usual, Chamberlain's will be the headquarters this year for the Christmas trade of the county as the place where you get full weight and good quality for your money.

It is said that the Deputy Game Warden of the county intend to combine in an effort to stop shooting on the marsh a half hour after sundown. No law-breakers were ever given better warning, so whoever gets caught will have nobody to blame but themselves for being in the unpleasant predicament.

That Sequoia Union High School is top notch in every line of activity has been demonstrated repeatedly. The fact was brought out on Wednesday when the Sequoia Basketball team defeated the San Mateo High School team at San Mateo by a score of 4 to 1.

The Southern Pacific announces special rates between this city and Santa Clara or the presentation of the "Light Eternal" at Santa Clara College this evening. A special train will leave San Francisco at 5:30 arriving here at 6:30 and on returning will leave Santa Clara at 11:30.

H. E. Heiner this week purchased for \$3000 the 50-foot lot on Main street occupied by the Tribble butcher shop. At the same time Daniel Muller purchased the property adjoining his harness store. Geo. W. Lovie consummated the deal.

See Curry's advertisement every week and you may be happy. There's nothing in it to make you sad at heart. If you say from him you will be contented, for you get your money's worth.

A special call is made for the Redmen's league team to turn up on Monday night to confer degrees, also for members of each chapter to transact important business and do drill work.

At the San Francisco millinery store, on Saturday and Monday we will sell street hats from 90 cents up, velvet dress hats from \$3.00 to \$5.00.

The net proceeds of the recent Catholic Fair are \$2630 which reflects credit upon the ladies who had the bazaar in charge. Edw. L. Laswell of San Francisco spent Thanksgiving with his father, William Laswell.

Pancy work, home-made candies, ice-cream, lemonade, coffee and cake at the bazaar, December 8 and 9.

Get your Christmas posters at the Ladies' Home Journal booth at the Methodist bazaar.

Don't miss the Ladies' Home Journal booth at the Methodist bazaar.

Chion ice-cream and candies at the Palm Tree room.

Work on Bay Shore Cut-off.

Considerable progress is being made on the building of the Southern Pacific Company's bay shore cut-off to San Bruno, and it is announced that the work from now on will proceed still more expeditiously. The Southern Pacific is doing some of the tunnel work but much of the grading will be done by private contract. Chief Engineer Hood has given a contract to Henry A. Whitley to do the grading of the road-bed between the Orphan Asylum tunnel and what is known as the Five Mile House tunnel, and Whitley will also do considerable grading in this county. The rest of the grading in this county has been let to the contracting firm of Erickson & Peterson. The company is so distributing the work that it will all be finished about the same time, which, from presents prospects, will be two years hence.

Tacoma Mill May Be Re-opened.

H. C. Chesborough, president, and William H. Hanson, vice-president, of the Tacoma Mill Company, went to Tacoma to inspect their plant on the Tacoma water front preliminary to starting up the mills after a shut down since last July. Twenty-five thousand dollars have been spent during the summer in repairing the mill and giving it a thorough overhauling.

The company owns large tracts of timber, but for many years has pursued the policy of shutting the mill down when market conditions did not permit of cutting timber at a profit.

The present intention is that the mill will be re-opened in January, employing 600 men.

Some people are not better than others, but they are more cautious.

COUNTY BOARD IN SESSION

Official Business Transacted by the Supervisors at Last Meeting.

Cemetery Matters Continued to December 19th—University Villa Map Filed.

The Board of Supervisors met in regular session Monday. All the members were present. A map of University Villa, subdivision No. 30, was presented to the Board for its acceptance. On motion of McEvoy seconded by McCracken the map was filed and the streets described thereon accepted for public use. The subdivision is located in the Polhemus tract and contains 22 lots and is owned by H. Oscar Cosby.

The following resolution was passed and adopted by the Board:

Whereas, H. Oscar Cosby, proprietor of a certain tract of land in the County of San Mateo, State of California, situate in what is known as and called the "Polhemus Tract," in the Third Road District of said county, has caused a portion of the same to be surveyed, laid out and subdivided into lots and blocks, for the purposes of sale, and has caused to be made an accurate map or plat thereof, particularly setting forth and describing all the parcels of ground within such subdivision reserved for public purposes, and their boundaries, courses and extent, and also all lots intended for sale by numbers, and their precise length, width and dimensions, said map being designated as "University Villa, Subdivision No. 1, Being a Subdivision of Lot No. 30, Polhemus Tract, San Mateo County, California," and said subdivision having been made on the 17th day of November, 1904; and

Whereas, said H. Oscar Cosby did on the 17th day of November, 1904, duly acknowledge the said map before A. K. Daggett, a Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, and said Notary Public did on said day duly affix thereto his certificate of acknowledgment in due form of law; and

Whereas, the aforesaid map or plat is now presented to this Board for acceptance;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that "Parker Avenue," as delineated on said map, be, and the same is, hereby accepted on behalf of the public by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, as dedicated to public use, in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act requiring the recording of cities, towns, additions to cities or towns, or subdivisions of land into small lots or tracts for the purpose of sale, and providing a penalty for the selling or offering for sale any lots or tracts in cities, towns, additions to cities, towns, subdivisions, or additions thereto, before such maps are filed and recorded," approved March 9th, 1893, (Statutes of 1893, Chapter LXXX) and as amended by amendment of Section 3 of said Act, (Statutes of 1901, Chapter CXXIV), and the Clerk of the Board is directed to endorse acceptance on said map as follows, to-wit:

"Parker Avenue," as shown and delineated on this map, is hereby accepted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo on behalf of the public, as dedicated to public use, in accordance with and subject to the terms of a resolution of said Board adopted this 21st day of November, 1904; and

Resolved, that this resolution is adopted and said map accepted upon and subject to the express condition that the County of San Mateo does not hereby become responsible or liable for any expense, cost or charge as to any such avenue or street, or of any part thereof, whether for grading, macadamizing, or for any other road purpose, this condition and the incurring of any expense, cost or charge being left to the discretion of future Boards of Supervisors, nor shall said Board of Supervisors, or any member thereof, or said County of San Mateo, be liable in damages in any sum or amount arising by or through any defect of any kind in said avenue or highway.

Geo. C. Ross, representing the Masonic Cemetery people, explained to the Board that he had spoken to several parties interested and thought that there was some chance of settling the matter outside the Board. He thought that if a continuance could be had some understanding might be reached that would be agreeable to all persons interested.

Attorney H. W. Brown who appears for a number of objects, said he did not object to a continuance but was ready so far as he was concerned to go on with the hearing.

On motion of Eikerenkotter seconded by McCracken all cemetery matters before the Board were continued to December 19th.

It is understood that the principal objections to the Masonic Cemetery come from the residents in its immediate vicinity. It is thought their several interests will be purchased, and thus an end will be put to one of the most bitter fights ever encountered in the history of the county.

Clerk Schaberg explained to the Board that there were only \$2087.12 available in the General Fund, that the claim of Clark & Henry for \$3000 took precedence over the other bills for the reason that it was filed before any others. On motion the claim of Clark & Henry for \$3000 was passed and allowed. The bill is payment on the contract for constructing the Pescadero bridge.

Chairman Coleman announced that he had entered into contracts with Clark & Henry for the construction of a concrete bridge at Burlingame and on the San Bruno road.

No further business appearing the Board adjourned to Monday, December 19, at 10 o'clock.

THE SERVANT GIRL PROBLEM

C. D. Hayward Will Publish a Book on That Knotty Question.

The lovers of literature are to receive a rare treat in the near future. C. D. Hayward, the smiling gentleman who determines what your property is worth and assesses it accordingly, is about to publish a handsomely bound little volume of fifty-four pages, illustrated, entitled, "How to Engage a First-class Servant Girl." The book is dedicated to the young and unsophisticated married people who are desirous of employing servant girls. A casual glance at the first four chapters, the copy of which is now in the hands of the printer, shows the author to be thoroughly conversant with the subject with which he deals and the easy way in which the writer disposes of what would seem complex problems in the matter of selecting a servant girl indicates that his knowledge has been derived through practical and not theoretical channels. The merits and demerits of the German, Irish, American, Swedish and Danish girl, are discussed at length, as well as those who would rather play the piano in preference to the wash tub, the one who wants every Sunday off while her mistress does the cooking, and the one who wants the use of the parlor in which to entertain her best fellow three nights in the week. The one who does not know the difference between boiled and fried water also comes in for some consideration. The illustrations, of which there are about twenty-five, are taken from photographs and are very realistic and lifelike. The volume will be pocket size and bound in morocco. The Carnegie Library, it is said, has already ordered a dozen volumes. Mr. Hayward is certainly to be congratulated upon his literary production.

WOODSIDE CHIPS.

Quite a number of our people are on the sick list, but so far none have proved serious.

Bert Shine is home from St. Mary's, Oakland, to spend Thanksgiving with his folks.

C. T. A. Talbot and family have departed for the east where they will spend the winter, returning in the spring.

B. F. Lausten, the popular tailor of Palo Alto, called on his friends in this place last Sunday.

M. B. Jackson met with a very painful mishap last Tuesday. While leaning against a temporary railing on the new bridge, the railing gave way and Mr. Jackson was hurled to the bed of the creek, receiving a dislocation of the shoulder and several bruises. The doctor was immediately summoned and at last reports Mr. Jackson is doing very well.

Quite a number from here attended the Foresters' dance Wednesday at Redwood and all report a swell time.

E. B. McClellan of San Mateo has a large number of men engaged subdividing his large ranch in the Canyons. It is the intention of Mr. McClellan to fence the subdivisions to enable him to farm as well as to pasture the land.

J. V. Hollinshead spent a few days the last of this week in Frisco calling on his many friends.

Nothing has been left undone to make the dance Saturday evening one of the most enjoyable events of the season. Fine San Francisco music has been engaged and the supper will be in charge of the ladies of the Congregational Church, which means something good. If the weather permits there will no doubt be a large crowd.

Plowing is on in good earnest and the fine weather will enable the farmers to hurry their crops, providing the soil does not become too dry.

Bay View Lodge Entertains.

Bay View Lodge, I. O. O. F., entertained the other lodges of the 44th district Wednesday night at the local hall. The lodges comprising this district are Mountain View, Mayfield, San Mateo and Redwood City, and Elmore and Rebekah Lodge of San Mateo, Olive Branch of Redwood and Germania Rebekah Lodge of Mountain View.

Among the guests the following grand officers were also present: Grand Master J. W. Linscott of Santa Cruz, Grand Secretary Geo. T. Shaw of San Francisco, and Grand President of the I. O. O. F. Home at Thermalito, John Morton of San Mateo.

Past Grand Judge Geo. H. Buck presided at the meeting and after a few interesting remarks introduced the Grand Master. Mr. Linscott's remarks were extremely well chosen and in a very direct manner he told of the many advantages of being an Odd Fellow. He was followed by Mr. Shaw, who told something of the State work. Mr. Morton confined his remarks to the Thermalito Home, with the working of which he was very familiar. These addresses concluded the literary exercises, after which the guests adjourned to the banquet room, where an abundance of good things were successfully stored away. When the wants of the inner man had been amply attended to the lower floor was cleared for action and dancing was indulged in to a late hour.

The purpose of the meeting was to promote a closer fellowship among the different lodges of this district. From recent reports it is shown that membership in the Santa Clara valley is rapidly increasing.

Fine Residence for Woodside.

Geo. W. Lovie has sold 58 acres of the Alhambra Estate at Woodside to Mrs. Emma Smith of San Francisco. She is very wealthy and will at once begin the construction of a fine residence and make San Mateo County her permanent home. Contractors are engaged in making estimates on the building.

THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY.

Clark & Henry's Will Build the Structure for \$9,266.

One more step was taken Monday which brings the Carnegie Library closer to a reality. That was the acceptance of Clark & Henry's bid of \$9,266 for its erection. Now that the building will be pushed and it will not be long before the Redwood City public will be occupying one of the handsomest Carnegie libraries in the State.

Following are the bids submitted to the trustees:

Schockley & Branson, Palo Alto, \$13,000.

John MacBain, Menlo Park, \$10,150.

Calwell & Co., San Mateo, \$9,994.

B. J. Duffy, San Mateo, \$9,555.

L. S. Hean, Palo Alto, \$9,469.

H. L. Upham, Palo Alto, \$9,455.

G. W. Winter, Redwood City, \$9,365.

Clark & Henry, Stockton, \$9,266.

A Big Home Entertainment.

The Native Daughters have secured the services of Mrs. Runcie who coached the last performance given by them, and a large and able cast has been in rehearsal for the last week, and on Saturday night, December 10th, they will present a three-act program in both black and white face. The first act will consist of a rattling good farce comedy, entitled "The Adventure of Arthursen." This farce is full of rollicking fun and in it will be seen the prettiest girls in Redwood and one of the society gentlemen.

The second act presents "The Minstrel Maids," a genuine minstrel in black face, introducing the end ladies, interlocutors, bones and tambos, new jokes, the latest minstrel songs, and all that goes to make a first-class minstrel. One of the features of this act will be the making up of the faces in the presence of the audience, a Billy Emerson. Act three presents the latest specialty work of the day, consisting of fine dancing, up-to-date sketch work, clever impersonations, renditions from a fine quartet and a grand finale.

COAST COUNTIES ASSOCIATION Met at Palo Alto Friday Forenoon and Closed with a Banquet.

Yesterday forenoon the regular quarterly meeting of the Coast Counties Improvement Association was held at Fraternity Hall, Palo Alto. President Duncan McPherson of Santa Cruz presided over the session, which lasted all day and closed in the evening with a banquet and a long list of toasts.

The meeting convened at 10 o'clock with delegates present from the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, San Benito, Santa Cruz, Monterey, San Mateo and Santa Clara. These delegates were immediately taken to the university grounds and given a short glimpse of the greatest university, architecturally speaking, in America.

The regular work of the association did not begin until 1:30 in the afternoon, when A. S. Ferguson of Palo Alto, president of the Palo Alto Board of Trustees, welcomed the delegates. The balance of the afternoon was spent in hearing reports from the different committees and in listening to S. C. Hine, who delivered a lecture before the association on "The Pinnacles," a peculiar rock formation near Soledad.

At 1 o'clock the delegates were entertained at a banquet. The Hon. Marshall P. Black of Palo Alto officiated as toastmaster. The toasts were as follows:

"Palo Alto and Her Progress," H. W. Simkins; "Value of the Coast Counties Organization," Paul Shoup; "What San Luis Obispo County is Doing," Dr. G. A. McCurry; "How to Press to Work," Duncan McPherson; "Does Legitimate Booming Pay," Walter Clark; "Value of Interurban Roads," J. F. Parkinson; "Why We are Progressing," Samuel R. Candfield; "The Coast Line and its Advantages," I. Manning King.

L. P. Behrens of this city also read an interesting paper.

Majestic Theatre.

"In Mizouzo" will be the attraction H. W. Bishop has to offer at the Majestic Theatre, San Francisco, for the week commencing with next Monday evening. It will be produced on an elaborate scale and without abridgement either scenically or of the cast. The play is by the famous dramatic writer Augustus Thomas whose State plays have been so popular with American audiences. He is a clever delineator of the peculiarities of sectional life in this country and in the play of next week he is at his best. The people and scenes are a graphic portrayal of those of Pike county, Missouri, and from the lives of those quaint characters the playwright has drawn one of the most pathetic, humorous, sentimental and heart appealing dramas that has been written in this generation. In such a play as this the players of the Majestic Theatre Company will shine. They will bring out every detail and give to every scene and situation that tone and coloring which only artists of their standing can be depended upon to do.

Do Not Neglect Your Eyes.

Dr. J. May, the Palo Alto optician, who regularly visits our town every two weeks, will be here next Wednesday, November 30, from 1 to 5 p. m. at Dr. Maine's office. He cordially invites all who have trouble with their eyes to call. No charge for examination.

Don't think you deceive other folks. People generally are sharp-eyed and keen-witted.

Don't go sniveling around. The meanest people on earth are the snivlers, who are always ready to impute wrong motives to others.

MENLO PARK OCCURRENCES

Paragraphs, Personal and Otherwise, From the Village of Beautiful Homes.

William Brophy Run Down by a Locomotive—Electric Road an Assured Fact.

Rev. P. O'Ryan and Father Peter Yorks spent Thanksgiving with Father Lyons. Thursday afternoon a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Gale.

A young son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson (nee Davis) last Tuesday.

The S. E. Slade home at Fair Oaks is happy over the arrival of a bouncing boy who arrived last Tuesday from Maryland.

John Ferguson and wife visited the former's parents here Thanksgiving. Mr. Ferguson holds a responsible position in the engineering department of the Western Pacific Railroad Company.

A large number from here will attend the presentation of the "Light Eternal" by the students of Santa Clara College this evening. A special train will leave here at 6:30 and on returning will leave Santa Clara at 11:30 o'clock.

The annual inspection of Company T, League of the Cross Cadets, took place in the Armory on Tuesday evening. Major Mahoney of San Francisco put the company through a severe test. At the conclusion of the inspection he complimented the young soldiers on their proficiency. An enjoyable dance followed the breaking of ranks.

E. E. Balcomb, formerly principal of the Menlo Grammar School, passed through Menlo this week. Mr. Balcomb recently resigned his situation in the Fresno High School to accept the position of State Expert of Fertilizers. In this capacity Mr. Balcomb travels all over the State examining the fertilizers manufactured by different concerns. His headquarters are at Berkeley where he has access to the chemical laboratories of the University of California.

Now that it is an assured fact that the electric road will shortly be constructed from San Jose to San Francisco the demand for property here is increasing, and inquiries are being made every day. Prices of real estate are rapidly advancing. Several sales will be made next week. It is rumored that Henry Lynch, the well-known engineer and contractor of San Francisco, has the contract to build the road from Palo Alto to San Mateo. Mr. Lynch is temporarily residing at Palo Alto, a fact that might lend truth to the rumor.

The new stone gateway at the entrance to the University grounds on the county road is completed. The total cost of the gate was \$25,000. The design harmonizes with the general scheme of the college buildings. The same buff sandstone was used and the two main arches are crowned with red-tiled roofs as are the minor arches giving entrance to the inner quadrangle. Two handsome Venetian lions in white marble, designed by A. Frilli of Florence, Italy, have been placed at either end.

Archbishop Riordan entertained the grand officers of the Knights of Columbus at St. Patrick's Seminary last Sunday. Grand Knight Joseph Scott of Los Angeles and about fifty officers and members of the society accompanied by Archbishop Riordan, and secretary, arrived on the 10 o'clock train and were driven to the Seminary, where the guests attended a solemn high mass. They were entertained at luncheon at 12 o'clock. Those who were present are among the leading professional and business men of the State. It is current gossip that the society is shortly to give a ten thousand dollar scholarship to the seminary.

William Brophy, who has resided here for the past eight years, met with a shocking accident Tuesday that resulted in almost instant death. The deceased was at work with the section crew near the crossing at the Palm hotel, when the 9 o'clock north-bound train passed through. He stepped off the track to avoid the train and in a few minutes the south-bound train flew by and before he could get out of the way he was struck by the tender of the engine and hurled about twenty feet to one side. When picked up a gaping wound was found on his head and one of his legs was badly mangled. He was removed to the depot, where he died in about an hour. He never regained consciousness. The prayers for the dying were read by Father Bully. The morning was quite foggy and it is supposed that Brophy did not notice the incoming train, thinking it was the one that had just left. Mr. Brophy was a native of this county, having spent his youth in the Canyons, where his parents resided for many years. Mr. Brophy was at one time Justice of the Peace of Pleasanton for some years and was familiarly called Judge. John Brophy, the well-known Palo Alto butcher, Mrs. A. Gale's sister, and Miss Brophy of San Francisco are the only surviving relatives. The funeral took place Thursday and the interment was in Holy Cross cemetery. Up until two weeks ago Mr. Brophy was baggage man at the depot. He was a genial, good-natured man and well educated.

The entertainment Thursday evening was greatly enjoyed by a large audience that applauded each number of the well-arranged program to the echo. J. E. Kelly was chairman of the evening and opened the entertainment in a few appropriate remarks. A Flower Song, sung by the Juvenile Choir of sweet-faced little girls, was well rendered and loudly applauded. McClellan's reel by Miss Charlotte O'Reilly and Miss Margaret Cronin was a feature that was appreciated by the audience. Miss Lydia Billesbach, a little tot of six years, sweetly sang "Always in the way." Her efforts were applauded as an encore she sang "Bodella" in a manner that caused a ripple of laughter. The buck and wing dance by Miss Vera Cox was well executed, and in response to the plaudits of the audience she reappeared in a new Gaelic step. A vocal selection by Misses Louise Jontle, Ida Davis and Emma Davis and Master Henry Harkins was well rendered. The event of the evening was an exhibition of Gaelic step dancing by Prof. J. J. O'Connor and Miss Allen of San Francisco. They were cheered time and again and brought down the house with their glances and reels. O'Connor acquitted himself in a manner that will always endear him to Menlo Park antiquaries. He was greatly assisted by his fair partner, Miss Jennie Farrell, in a sweet voice, softly sang "A

mother's jubbly" and received an ovation at the conclusion of the song. A four-hand reel by Miss May Rogers, Miss May Hanley, Master Robert Hanley and Master Joe. Lavers created much amusement. Miss Grace Partee sang a vocal solo and was heartily cheered. A homrophe by Miss Beale and Hazel Allen received well merited applause. "Alleen Aroon," sung by the Choral class composed of Misses Jeanne and Margaret Bruce, Emily Lynch, Teresa Sullivan and Irene Roche, was a bright feature of the entertainment. The chorus, "Good Night," by the Juvenile Choir, concluded the program, after which a social dance took place. Miss Fanny Hausman was the accompanist during the entertainment.

Resolutions of Condolence.

The following resolutions relative to the death of Mrs. Kavanagh were adopted by Menlo Park, No. 185, N. S. G. W., at its regular meeting last Thursday evening:

Whereas, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to call Mary A. Kavanagh, dearly beloved mother of Moses P. X. Kavanagh, from earth to her heavenly home, and whereas, the community mourns the loss of one of its oldest and most respected residents, a woman beloved for her many virtues; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Kavanagh this community has lost an estimable woman and Brother Kavanagh a devoted mother.

Resolved, That we, the members of Menlo Park, No. 185, N. S. G. W., extend to Brother Kavanagh our deepest sympathy in his loss and bereavement; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and a copy be forwarded to Brother Kavanagh.

(Signed) F. P. Koch, D. E. O'Keefe, Wm. A. Doyle, committee.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Instruments Placed on Record for the Week Ending November 29.

Jane E. Loveland to Bridget Fitzgerald—Portion of lot 5 of Golden's addition, of Brice and Tract, Menlo Park; \$40.

Mary Elizabeth Hanson to Walter H. Cole—Vista lots 14 and 15, Redwood City; \$40.

Lorenzo Gianni to Francesco Pignetti—Portions of lots 6 and 7 in block 7, Schoolhouse Extension Land Ass'n; \$10.

Francesco Pignetti to Lorenzo Gianni—Portions of lots 6 and 7 in block 7, School House Land Association; \$10.

John B. Brandt et al to Michael D. Cogley—Lot in Belmont; \$10.

Mrs. J. Jacobs et al to Samuel Bissinger—All their right, title and interest in estate of E. Straus; \$10.

Mercantile Trust Co. of S. F. to Emma L

